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13 **UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT**
14 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
15 **[San Jose Division]**

16 In re
17 EVANDER FRANK KANE,
18 Debtors.

CASE NO. 21-50028 SLJ

Chapter 7

19 HOPE PARKER,
20 Plaintiff,
21 v.
22 EVANDER KANE,
Defendant.

Adv. No. 21-5008

23 CENTENNIAL BANK,
24 Plaintiff,
25 v.

Adv No. 21-05016

**CENTENNIAL BANK'S STATUS
CONFERENCE STATEMENT**

26 EVANDER KANE,
27 Defendant.

Date: May 25, 2023
Time: 2:30 p.m.
Judge: Chief Judge Stephen L. Johnson
Place: Via Tele/Videoconference

1 Pursuant to the “Order Continuing Scheduling Conference” (the “Order”) [Doc. 59] entered
2 on April 4, 2023, by this Court, Centennial Bank, an Arkansas state chartered bank (“Centennial”),
3 hereby files this status conference statement concerning the above-captioned adversary proceeding
4 (this “Adversary Proceeding”) as directed by the Order.

5 Pursuant to the prior order (the “Consolidation Order”) of this Court [Doc. 34], this Court
6 consolidated the Adversary Proceeding with the §727(a) claim asserted by Hope Parker in her own
7 adversary proceeding against Evander Kane (“Kane”), Case No.: 21-5008 (the “Parker Adversary
8 Proceeding”). On February 25, 2022, this Court entered its “Trial Scheduling Order” (the
9 “Scheduling Order”) [Doc. 33], scheduling trial in this Adversary Proceeding to commence on
10 January 23, 2023.

11 Trial in this Adversary Proceeding was commenced on January 23, 2023, and continued to
12 January 25, 2023, and the end of which both sides rested. At the conclusion of the trial, this Court
13 instructed the parties to file post-trial closing arguments after the transcripts of the trial were
14 complete and docketed with this Court.

15 On February 21, 2023, this Court entered its “Closing Arguments Scheduling Order” [Doc.
16 56], indicating that the trial transcripts were docketed on February 10, 2023 and February 13, 2023,
17 and instructing the parties to file their closing arguments with this Court no later than March 14,
18 2023.

19 On March 24, 2023, Centennial filed “Centennial Bank’s Closing Brief” [Doc. 58]. On even
20 date therewith, Kane filed “Defendants’ Post-Trial Brief” [Doc. 57]. Parker also filed with this
21 Court “Hope Parker’s Closing Argument” in adversary No. 21-5008.

22 Pursuant to the Consolidation Order [Doc. 34], this Court indicated that it would “conduct a
23 status conference in these cases on April 13, 2023, at 2:30 p.m. for the purpose of determining next
24 steps in the litigation of these cases.”

25 Pursuant to this Court’s Order [Doc. 59], this Court rescheduled the status conference for
26 May 25, 2023, in light of the fact that “[t]he Court’s ruling [on Centennial and Parker’s objections
27 to Kane’s discharge under 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)] is currently under submission.”

28 Until such time as the Court rules on Centennial and Parkers’ objections to Kane’s discharge

1 under 11 U.S.C. § 727(a), there is nothing further to report.

2 Centennial will contact Chambers before the hearing date for further instructions whether an
3 appearance is necessary or not for the hearing on May 25, 2023.

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5 DATED: May 18, 2023

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7 By: /s/ **Andrew J. Ghekas**

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12 DATED: May 18, 2023

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